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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for each insertion; and 10c cents for more space or longer time.

WANTED—A housekeeper; wages, $150 per year; good home in country. Address H. this office. jy30-3i

WANTED—A good smart boy at once. 20 Fort street. jy30-1t

WANTED—All sorts and a girl about 14 years of age. Apply No. 3 Blanchard st. jy29-3i

WANTED—A nurse girl. Apply at Saunder's Restaurant, Government St. jy29-6i

WANTED—A young woman lately from Germany desires a situation in a family; German preferred. Apply at 34 Belcher street. jy29-3i

WANTED—A dining room girl at the Esquimalt Hotel. John Day. jy28-6i

WANTED—An errand boy. Apply by letter to C. E. Redfern, 43 Government street. jy28-tf

WANTED—A young woman capable of taking charge of children and making herself generally useful. (Under same kind.) Apply between 10 a. m., and 1 p. m., to Mrs. Robert Ward, The Rocks, Belcher street. jy18-w

WANTED—A nursemaid, good wages will be paid to a suitable person. Apply corner St. John and Belleville streets, James Bay. jy12-tf

WANTED—A general servant, family of four. No children. Apply 137 Menzie St. jy11-tf

HELP—The employees of labor will find it to their advantage to call on us, as the White Labor Employment Bureau, 34 Yates street, Victoria, where reliable help is required. Also Candies, Cigars, Fruits, etc. BINGHAM & REYNARD. june-3m

TO LET.

TO LET—Furnished apartments suitable for house keeping. 32 Superior street, James Bay. jy21-tf

HOUSE—7 rooms corner Humboldt street and Park Road. Quite new. Crease, McGregor & Boggs. july15

TO RENT—The upper story of the building occupied by Hall, Goepel & Co., No. 100 Government street, suitable for offices. Apply to Hall, Goepel & Co., No. 98 Government street. jly9-1m

TO LET—Excellent mutton at Cloverdale; for terms apply to J. W. Tobsie box 286, 200m

TO LET—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 123 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap30-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A bay pony, harness and cart; pony about 12 hands high. Apply W. S. Chambers, 32 Constance street. jy28-2w

LOT—In James Bay, $500. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jy28

IMPROVED—Farm; Metchosin district, adjoining twenties Beechy Bay. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jy28

IMPROVED—Farm at Duncan's Station. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jy28

LOT—Close to Beacon Hill Park, $600. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jy28

HOUSE—And three lots Dallas Road, corner. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jy28

3—Lots in Fernwood $300 each; terms $50 cash. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jy15

HOUSE—8 rooms bath pantry, etc., Menzie street, James Bay, $2800. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jly15

SEVERAL—Choice lots near outer wharf. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jy15

SUPERIOR—Farm in Alberni on Lemmon river; 108 acres good land; 7 room house and barn; price $3000. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jy15

FRUIT—Farm, 5 acres 2½ miles from city; $900. Terms easy. Crease, McGregor and Boggs. jly15

FOR SALE—Shorthorn cattle, Leicester sheep and Berkshire pigs. Apply to J. W. Tod, box 286. jy30-1m

FOR SALE—A two story house of eleven rooms, with woodshed and outbuildings, a garden in a high state of cultivation and several good bearing fruit trees, convenient to the centre of the city and in every way desirable property. For particulars apply to J. C. Flett, 8 Pioneer street. june28-tf

LOST OR FOUND.

LEFT HIS HOME—And gone astray, an entirely green young retriever dog, wearing a curly brown coat without a collar and a long tail. Anyone detaining this puppy please communicate to P. O. Box 458, Victoria. jy9-tf

FOUND—A black pup with brown paws. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses by applying to A. W. M. this office. jy29-3i

REWARD—$25 will be paid for the conviction of person or persons stealing mahogany and boards from the premises of the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Co. Crease, McGregor & Boggs, brokers, 30 Broad St. jy11m

INSURANCE.

TO INSURE—Your house at lowest rates call on Crease, McGregor & Boggs, agents Citizens. jy115

INSURE—In the Sun, Life and Accident. Crease, McGregor & Boggs. jly15

THE NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY. Established 1797. Amount insured $70,000,000. N. H. HELMCKEN, Agent, Yates street, Victoria, B. C. june1y

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GARESCHE, GREEN & CO. BANKERS. Government street, Victoria, B. C. Deposits received in gold, silver and U. S. currency. Exchange sold on the money centres of the Dominion, Europe and U. S. currency purchased at highest market rates. Sight Drafts and Telegraph Transfers to San Francisco, New York and Canada. Exchange on London, available in all parts of Europe, England, Ireland and Scotland. Letters of Credit issued on the principal cities of the United States, Canada and Europe. Agents for Wells, Fargo & Co.

SOCIETIES.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., R.C.R. Regular communication the 1st Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy9 H. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 126, G.R.C. Regular convocations held on the 3rd Tuesday of every month, at Masonic Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited. W. J. QUIMBY, Scribe E. jy1-tf

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular meetings every Friday evening at Castaway Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. R. J. PLUMMER, C. C. of R. & S. jy9

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join. J. M. MUNDOCH, Secretary.

SCAVENGERS.

PETER HANSEN, CITY SCAVENGER. Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable. Orders left at Dell Ross & Co.'s and Hobert Potter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets. Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. jy19

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER. Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jos. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; E. C. Kilburn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doherty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. aug30-1y

ARCHITECTS.

THOMAS HOOPER, ARCHITECT. Office on the New Methodist Church site, corner Johnson and Quadra streets. jly5-tf

P. R. DONOVAN, ARCHITECT. Office, Craft & Norris Block, Douglas street. Plans and specifications furnished on the shortest notice. ap22

T. R. MORGATE, ARCHITECT and Mechanical Engineer. Drawings for Patent Office. Office, Mosely's Block, 78 Yates street, Victoria, B. C. m30tf

JNO. TEAGUE, ARCHITECT. Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe20tf

PHYSICIANS.

HOMŒPATHIC REMOVAL. DR. J. HALL Will have his rooms on Pandora street on Monday, December 1st, for the next month, corner of Yates and Douglas streets, where he may be consulted at the usual hours, from 1 to 4 p.m., excepting Sundays and holidays. nov27

J. K. BARROW, M. D. (Lately attending Guy's Hospital, London, and Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh.) Specialties: Diseases of Women and Children and Chronic Diseases. Office and residence, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets, directly opposite City Hall. Office hours—9 to 11 a.m., 1 to 3, and 7 to 8.30 p.m. Calls in city or country promptly attended to. nov9-3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

L. G. BURNS, PLUMBING, TINNING AND GASFITTING. Estimates given. All orders promptly attended to. 101 Johnson street. jy12-1m

QUEEN'S MARKET, L. GOODACRE, Government street, Victoria, B. C., wholesale and retail Butcher. Contractor by appointment to Her Majesty's Royal Navy.

A. & W. WILSON, PLUMBERS AND FITTERS. Bell Hangers and Tinsmiths. Dealers in best descriptions of Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, etc. Ships supplied at lowest rates. Broad street, Victoria, B. C. Telephone 1187.

SURVEYING PARTIES, fully equipped, and in charge of experienced chiefs, furnished on short notice. Draughting, mapping and blue printing. MILLER & GONO, Box 281, Port Townsend. ap26tf

A Warning.

MR. EDITOR,—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—inspiring at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive headache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy, before serious consequences develop dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers, it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price 50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. dew

Steam Laundry, telephone No. 497. Branch offices, 74 Yates street and Trounce alley.

Sixteen Ugly Sores.

Inflammatory rheumatism through wrong treatment left me with stiff joints and ugly running sores on my limbs, and for seven years I could not walk. When I commenced taking Burdock Blood Bitters I had sixteen sores, but they are all healed save one and I can now walk with crutches.

MARY CALDWELL, Upper Gaspereaux, N. S.

SENECA SCORCHED.

A FIRE SWEEPS THE PRINCIPAL STREETS OF SENECA, N. Y.

An Old Shack the Cause of a Big Blaze—Supposed to be Several Lives Lost—The Loss Estimated at Over One Million Dollars.

AUBURN, N.Y., July 30, 9 a.m.—A fire at Seneca Falls last night destroyed half of Falls street, the business thoroughfare of the village. The fire originated in the vicinity of the post-office, and spread to the Hog House, the principal hotel. The Hog Opera House and other buildings, the express, telegraph and telephone office and post office were destroyed. Assistance was sent for to Geneva, and seven fire companies from that village were sent to help to fight the fire, which is still burning at this hour. No estimate can yet be obtained.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 30.—A special to the Herald from Seneca Falls gives the following particulars of the fire there. The inevitable occurred in the Few building against the erection of which three or more years ago such an earnest protest was made. It fulfilled its mission as a fire trap this morning and it is feared it has also proved a death trap. A few moments after five o'clock this morning the building directly opposite the Hog opera house in Fall street was discovered to be bursing in the Sutherland and Sautres restaurants. In a few minutes the entire structure was on fire. Had naught but the shell suffered there would have been a trifling cause for regret, but at 7 o'clock the fairest commercial part of the town was in ashes or flames. The Few building was approachable from one side and the atmosphere quickly became so hot that the firemen could not endure it. The splendid Phœnix, involving the electric light plant, electric railway plant, post office, express office, Revelle printing establishment, Sanderson's furniture warerooms, and the Western Union telegraph office succumbed to the flames, and within four hours fifteen stores east of it to the Sheldon Block were ruined. The flames sprang across the street to Hog's opera house before an hour had passed, and that was consumed with all of Fall street on that side east to the Sheldon Block, while on the north side the Cooper Block on State street. The flames extended to and included Kellog's livery stable, but all his stock was saved.

The sufferers, with some approximate losses on the real property, are given below, there probably being a fairly average insurance: The Phœnix Block, $8,000; others, $180,000.

Later.—The fire was deemed control at 9 this morning, but soon broke out anew at Talman & Giakin's dry goods store, which is now burning.

AUBURN, N. Y., July 30.—The latest news from Seneca Falls places the loss at $1,000,000. Fifteen acres were burned over, covered principally by three-stoty brick buildings.

Prince George's Visit.

NEWPORT, July 30.—A private despatch received here to-day indicates there is a very great uncertainty as to whether Prince George of Wales is coming or not. But the despatch is definate on one point namely, that if the Thrush can get here by Friday night from Bermuda she is to allow the Prince to see the race for the Goelet cup, he will come, but if he finds it impossible, then he will steer for Newport.

Four Boys Torn by Dynamite Caps.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., July 30.—Ralph and Rowan Cooley, aged 7 and 9; Harry Weegar, aged 9, and Stevie Dowd, aged 4, were seriously injured this evening by the explosion of a bunch of giant powder caps, with which they were playing. The two Cooley boys will probably lose their eyesight, while the other two suffer from particles of iron that filled their faces and bodies. The boys found a mass of wire while playing in the yard and proceeded to cut off what they supposed to be pieces of lead from the end of the wire. One blow from the hatchet caused the explosion of about thirty caps.

Horrible Suicide.

WALLA WALLA, July 30.—Concerning the death of Mrs. John Lane, whose body was found in a burning cabin near Whitman station, later particulars go to show that she deliberately set fire to her clothing and was burned to a crisp without any attempt to escape or alarm when the hot flames reached the quivering flesh. At one time, several years ago, during a severe illness, the deceased had threatened to take her life, but it was said in a rather joking manner and no attention was given to the threats. Near the door of the burned cabin was found a square molasses can, a pick ball, matches, etc., and a neighbor testified that she had never noticed on the premises before. There is no doubt but she drenched herself with the kerosene and set fire to it.

A Raging Fire.

SAGINAW, Mich., July 30.—Five acres of lumber piles, houses and offices are being swept by flames in this city. The wind is blowing a gale and the loss now is in the hundreds of thousands. The firemen are entirely unable to do anything, and it is feared that the flames will jump across the river into Carrolton where there is piled $10,000 of pine lumber.

A Terrible Crime.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 30.—Incendiaries set fire to the residence of Rev. [illegible] at Jeffersonville, Ind., a short distance across the river from here, at an early hour this morning. Mrs. Plumb and three children were burned to death and Mr. Plumb is so badly burned that he cannot live.

Ship Builder Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30.—A dispatch received in this city reports the death at Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, of Donald Ross, a leading Nova Scotia ship builder at the age of 72 years.

Gandaur-Hanlan.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 30.—Gandaur, the oarsman, last night deposited $200 at the Tribune office to row Edward Hanlan three miles on Lake Minnetoka at such time as may be agreed upon, for from $2,500 to $5,000.

A Serious Accident.

NEW YORK, July 30.—What will probably prove a fatal accident occurred at the Western Union Telegraph Company's building at 2 o'clock this afternoon, when the lower part of the wooden chute constructed after the recent fire to convey rubbish and debris, gave way and fell with a crash that startled everybody in the neighborhood. Two of the workmen were buried by the falling timbers. One was removed to the hospital in a dying condition; the other one is not so seriously injured.

A Western Town Burned.

SPOKANE FALLS, July 29.—Last night's fire at Wallace, Idaho, in the Coeur d'Alene mining district, almost annihilated the town. The ruin is complete. Not a business house was left standing. The total loss is $412,000. On this there is only $98,000 insurance.

The fire started at 7 o'clock in the Central hotel, and in two hours everything was gone. The supply of water in the reservoir gave out after ten minutes' work by the firemen and the town was left to the mercy of the flames. Everything was burned, many men losing even their coats.

Antonio De Morco was burned to death in his brother's saloon.

Leprosy in New York.

NEW YORK, July 28.—There is a genuine case of leprosy in the city. The victim is Manual Garsantia, the 20-year-old son of a noble family in Spain, who has been attending the military academy at Chester, Pa. For a week he has been stopping at a Spanish-American boarding-house on East Twenty-fifth street, making the numerous boarders liable to his loathsome disease.

Alaska Canneries.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—The schooner Premier arrived to-day, 19 days from Bristol Bay, Alaska. She brought down 10,000 cases of salmon. The canneries of the Arctic Packing Company, the Scandanavian, the Alaska Commercial and Bristol Bay companies were enjoying a medium catch of Salmon. At the time Captain Paulson left Karluk the canneries there had very little to do. There were no salmon running, as it was too early in the season. There were several sealers hard at work in Behring Sea.

Resents the Charges.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—Mr. Oates, of Alabama, introduced into the House to-day resolutions resenting the charges made by the Farmers' Alliance, that millions had been spent in lobbying the Silver Bill through Congress, and calling on an investigation.

A Narrow Escape.

SEATTLE, July 29.—As the noon train from Maple valley came down yesterday, a narrow escape from death occurred. As the train rounded a curve and dashed upon a high trestle of some length those in the locomotive cab were horrified to see near the centre of the trestle, two men and a small railway tricycle, pumping away for all they were worth. Stopping the train was out of the question, and so the engineer pulled open the throttle, the big engine sprang ahead with increased speed, and those in the cab were about to turn their heads to shut from view the crash that would mangle the two unfortunates, when the men were seen to jump to the ground a distance of fourteen or fifteen feet. An instant later pieces of the frail tricycle were strewn along the trestle for a hundred yards. Looking back, two men were seen to pull themselves together and walk off towards Maple valley, and, although unnerved, all hands breathed easier.

NOT RETALIATION.

But Something Very Like It—Tired Statesmen.

NEW YORK, July 30.—The Herald's Washington special says: The administration, I understand, is considering a plan whereby Canadian railways will be restricted in the privileges they now enjoy in crossing our frontier. The details have not been worked out, but it is understood that the proposition is to make the restrictions on Canadian railways in the United States equal to those imposed on our railways in Canada. The object is to make Canada feel the pinch of her own medicine. The idea is that Canada should be brought to understand that courtesies exist among nations as among individuals, and that if she begrudges us fair play we shall not accord it to her. That is the logic of the situation. Canada, it is asserted, has treated us shabbily at both ends of the line. Her treatment of our Atlantic fishermen is regarded as unjust and arbitrary, and her poaching in Behring Sea is looked upon as no less reprehensible. The President is tired of it, the members of his cabinet and the constitutional advisers are equally tired of it; before many days their dissatisfaction will find an expression in a well considered retaliatory measure which it is believed will speedily bring Canada to her senses. It is not intended as the opening of privileges now accorded to the Canadian Pacific Railway and Grand Trunk Railway nor that the American patrons of these corporations either in New England or along our northern border shall suffer the consequence. The plan, it is believed, will be acceptable to all residents on this side of the line, and at the same time be so effective in its application as to result in a material increase of national courtesies from our Canadian neighbors north.

Approval.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

HAVE GOT ENOUGH.

BLAINE WANTS NO ADDITIONS TO THE UNITED STATES.

The French Authorities in Newfoundland Want to Compromise—The Buenos Ayres Revolution Ended—Lady Dunlo Wins the Divorce Case.

LONDON, July 30.—The jury to-day in the Dunlo divorce case returned a verdict in favor of Lady Dunlo.

Lord Randolph Talks.

LONDON, July 30.—Lord Randolph Churchill in an interview with a reporter to-day, spoke freely of his position and prospects as a politician. He is apparently under some depression of spirits. Speaking of the rumors that he had been approached with the view of relieving Hon. W. H. Smith as the leader of the House of Commons, he said the report was not true, and that he had not been approached by anyone. "I will go further," he added: "Since I left the cabinet I have not received a letter upon any matter whatever from either of those whom I called colleagues. I like racing better than statesmanship. One is healthy, the other is depressing. As a matter of fact, I do not think political life is quite in my way." He gave as a reason for this belief that he had not been a successful politician, and this fact made him doubtful of his future as a public man. He fears that his views on certain points of policy have tended to divorce him from the majority of the Conservative party. At any rate it is probable that the cabinet, having in the main done so well, will find it necessary to seek his assistance.

The Newfoundland Fishery Case.

NEW YORK, July 30.—The Herald's St. Pierre Miquelon special says: The French authorities here have offered to compromise in the case of the seizure of the Mary for landing three barrels of cod, for two thousand dollars. Mr. Goodrick, of St. Johns, representing the parties interested in Newfoundland, however, refused. The case was decided in the Supreme Court to-day, giving a judgment of complete confiscation of the vessel and cargo. Considerable excitement prevails. Goodrich claims it to be a breach of international law and will appeal to Paris.

Seventy-Eight Bodies Recovered.

PARIS, July 30.—Pelliser pit at Steinner in which an explosion of fire damp occurred yesterday has been cleared and fifty-nine miners rescued. The bodies of 78 victims were recovered.

NOT AN ANNEXATIONIST.

Blaine Wants no Outside Countries Added to the States.

NEW YORK, July 30.—The Herald's Washington special says: The statement that Blaine is in secret negotiations for the acquisition of San Domingo or any other West India Island by the United States is absolutely false. The secretary of state has not proposed to the President to attempt any such negotiations and the President would emphatically reject any such proposition if made. The repeated aversion shown by the people of the United States to the acquisition of tropical or sub-tropical territory has virtually fixed the policy of that country in that respect. None of the annexation schemes centering in the West Indies Islands have ever had a more respectable origin than the schemes of speculative and corrupt adventurers and no such scheme will be supported by the present administration. Beyond a few coaling station privileges the country is deemed by the authorities to have no territorial wants in distant or near by island. The policy is just as firmly established by tradition and precedent that autonomous communities within the sphere of American influence are not to be subjects of European annexation. We should no more permit the integrity of Hayti, for instance to be assailed, than we should assail it ourselves. The foregoing is a brief statement, authoritatively given, of the West Indian policy of the government.

LONDON NEWS.

Revolution in Zanzibar—Bismarck's Visit—The Heligoland Cession.

LONDON, July 29.—The price of British silver is again on the advance. Fifty pence per ounce was quoted at 3.30 p. m. to-day. This is a recovery of ¼ @ ⅜ pence upon the closing prices of the previous week.

In the Commons to-night, the Anglo-German agreement bill for the cession of Heligoland, passed the committee stage unmolested.

Revolution is feared in Zanzibar. The Sultan's brother is said to be implicated in the conspiracy to overthrow the present ruler. [illegible] believed to have a powerful backing. The Sultan is making preparations to meet any traitorous movements, and the guards have been strongly reinforced. The crisis may prove to be an important one for Zanzibar, for should civil war or anarchy result, an excuse would be offered for the intervention of England and Germany and the possible extinction of the Zanzibaries nationality.

Prince Bismarck has abandoned any intention he may have had of visiting England during the present season. It was felt in many quarters that if he were to come to London while the Anglo-German agreement was under discussion, a very serious misunderstanding might arise. It [illegible] the Prince [illegible] the warm welcome which would be accorded him by the most prominent statesmen and personages in England if he were to pay a visit to London at a later and more convenient time.

In the House of Commons James Ferguson, parliamentary secretary of the foreign office, stated that as the loyalty of the actions of British naval officers in Newfoundland would be tried by a court of law, it was not desirable to state under what imperial law or prerogative of the crown the officers' instructions were formed.

In the House of Lords to-night Baron Strakadey raised a question as to which [illegible] the office of premier ought to become united with that of foreign secretary. Lord Salisbury replied that Gladstone had asserted that it was impossible for one man to discharge the duties of both offices unless possessed of superhuman energy. This might be true when the premier was leader in the Commons, but when the premier was in the Lords the case was much different.

ALL QUIET ON THE PLATE.

The Revolution in Buenos Ayres Snuffed Out—Tenure Religus.

BUENOS AYRES, July 29.—The armistice has been prolonged pending negotiations between the government and the insurrectionary leaders. Efforts are being made to form a coalition ministry. Congress has assembled.

LONDON, July 29.—It is officially announced that the British foreign office has received telegraph advices from Buenos Ayres that the revolution has ended in the triumph of the Government.

The Argentine legation received to-night the following telegram signed by Minister of Finance Garcia:

"BUENOS AYRES, July 29.—The Government is completely victorious. The mutineers have capitulated and deposited their arms in the arsenal. All the rebellious superior officers will be dismissed. The troops are returning to their quarters under command of loyal officers. Minor officers participating in the revolt will be transferred to positions of less influence. The forces mobilized by the Government are returning to the provinces. The political situation is thoroughly consolidated. The capital and the whole country are tranquil.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.

Two Young Men Meet Their Death at Vancouver—Other Escapes from Drowning.

VANCOUVER, July 30.—The remainder of the Morton estate, lot 185, was sold yesterday for $60,000.

Yesterday a youngster fell off the side of the city wharf, but was rescued by a workman.

Harbor Master Thain has notified the mill owners that they must desist throwing sawdust into False Creek.

A demi monde while being driven on Westminster road by a young man yesterday was thrown from the buggy. Result, a broken wrist.

Yesterday afternoon a sad drowning accident occurred at the Vancouver Company's mill, whereby Joseph Ouellette and Isaac Green, 18 and 23 years respectively, lost their lives. They were engaged in bringing logs from a boom. Each had a log near the other. Green stepped on Ouellette's log which rolled and both were precipitated into the water. Ouellette regained his log and stretched his hand to save Green, who pulled his would-be rescuer in also. Both sank. Ouelette struck out for the shore, but when within a few yards he sank. Green, who could not swim, was drowned immediately.

Another drowning accident was narrowly averted at North Arm yesterday. A young boy attending the Methodist picnic was running on a boom of logs. The log rolled and the boy fell. Another lad, Geo. Townsend, ran to his assistance, and in attempting to save him fell in, but managed to hold the little fellow above water till help came.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

The Body of Brother Wulff Found—The Delaware Not Properly Equipped.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 30.—The body of Brother Wulff, who was drowned in the Fraser near St. Mary's Mission a week ago, was found yesterday by two fishermen entangled in their fishing nets near the Bon Accord cannery. The body was brought to this city and enclosed in a metallic casket. The funeral took place this afternoon to St. Mary's Mission.

The coroner's inquest was held last night to enquire into the death of Sam'l Gowan, late engineer of the steamer Delaware. The jury, impaneled by Coroner Ward, returned a verdict of drowning, and expressed the opinion that the boat was not properly equipped for life saving.

Officers Levin and Redgrave of the Victoria police force were in the city on their annual ten days' holiday. While sojourning in Vancouver, the officers captured a forger who was about to take passage for China on one of the China steamers. Their prisoner was handed over to the chief of Vancouver.

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

It Will be Kept Open Day and Evening—Separate Show.

CHICAGO, July 30.—In response to a call by the legislature for a detailed statement as to how they intend to divide the World's Fair between the two sexes, the directors have prepared a very lengthy statement. They said notwithstanding the dual idea it must not be forgotten that the fair will be an entirety. It is the intention of the board, so far as it may be able to do so, to locate the agricultural and stock exhibits in the same enclosure with the machinery, state and such other exhibitions as will render that portion of the exposition at least equal in general interest and attractiveness to the other portions of the fair.

Concerning exhibits upon the lake front the board contemplates placing there the art building, which is designed to be a large structure, beautiful in its architectural design, [illegible]. Among the displays on its borders are [illegible] and Egyptian villages, and the exhibits. Of course, the report says, it was impossible to do more than [illegible] at the present time. One of the reasons for the use of the lake front is the fact that the greater portion of the business men, clerks and industrial classes will find their time more [illegible] in the care of visitors from all over the world that at any other period. Their opportunities for visiting [illegible] could be doubled, and it is important to keep open in the evening buildings which remain during the day. The [illegible] of the evening [illegible] attained in the evening.

EIGHT HOURS A DAY.

DR. REID'S SERMON ON THE LABOR QUESTION.

Preached From the Text Ecclesiastes v. 10.—"What Profit hath Man of all His Labor Which he Taketh Under the Sun."—An Able Discourse.

Rev. Dr. Reid, in his evening sermon at the Reformed Episcopal church on Sunday, preached from the above text, quoting also: "In all labor there is profit," Proverbs xiv., 23; "The sleep of the laboring man is sweet, whether he eat little or much," Eccles. v., 12. The text, the preacher said, was selected from the "royal preacher," because in his large experience in the wisdom and folly of the world he had said many things in his books of profit to all classes, and of great advantage to the working people. In fact a very profitable Bible reading could be made from his books, Proverbs and Ecclesiastes, culling those portions referring specifically to the sons of toil—their duties, their difficulties, their dangers and their hopes. There were confessedly difficulties in handling such a subject as this, although we very cheerfully and joyfully apprehend that there is much hope for the working portion of society arising from the spirit of the times and the progress of the past in their favor. For example, the forefathers of the first part of this century, who were accustomed to much longer hours and heavier toil, before machinery was brought to lighten the hardness of manual labor. No prophet would have been accepted who, at the beginning of this century, predicted that nine or ten hours would become the ordinary length of a day's labor. Yet such was the fact, in which all right-minded people rejoice, and from which we have good ground to expect that still further amelioration may be expected in the near future. We would strongly advise all classes, especially the industrial classes, to read the lives of some of the great men of this century, who have risen from the ranks by their industry and successful efforts in conquering their circumstances. For example, the brief biography of the brothers Chambers, publishers, who did so much by their literature in the days of their own success to encourage and enlighten the industrious laborer. Robert Chambers had the misfortune to be thrown upon his own resources at thirteen years of age. At fourteen he began a five years' apprenticeship in the book trade, having long hours, hard labor and only one dollar per week wages during all those five years. Yet not only did he independently maintain himself without help from his relatives who might have been able to aid him had he submitted to ask such assistance. Although his daily toil, much like that of a porter—he carried parcels to all parts of Edinburgh district—did not allow him to sit down during the entire day, he not only managed after his long hours to carry on his own education, but also to aid his brother, and ultimately to establish the world renowned firm of Chambers & Co. Robt. Chambers said, as he looked back on that early period of his life, that there seemed no gloom but much gladness in it, in spite of its poverty and privations at times. There are other examples of successful men in the larger walks of life who have, with long hours and hard labor and small wages to contend with, overcome their difficulties and left their honorable marks upon the pages of history. We merely mention such examples as encouragement to those who are aspiring to noble aims in life and to induce kindliness and consideration of one class for another, of capitalists and laborers, as being naturally dependent on each other for the social comforts of life. Prince Albert, "the good," gave prominence to that sentiment, when he said, concerning domestic helpers, that the aldest of these who enjoy the comfort of their ministry in the home, was by no means exhausted when even liberal wages were allowed; that this spirit of gratitude and hearty appreciation should be manifested in addition to all monetary returns. Following his good example many have been led to speak and write in the same vein since his day. Now, a more kindly feeling exists between the different classes of society than formerly, even within the memory of some living men, and by a class of Christian workers too numerous to mention in modern sermons. Lectures and writings have been specially devoted to the advocacy of claims of the industrious classes, reviving the ancient and Divine spirit that breathes in the Word of God, both new and old testaments, centering in the life and lessons of our Lord, the model working man and the friend of all that labor. In his teachings there are laid down the principles that if fairly applied would ultimately effect the settlement of the difficulties that exist, but that we believe are lessening, between capital and labor. One line might suffice from his Golden Rule to regulate and remove all necessary difficulties—that is, "All things ye would that men should do unto you, do ye even so to them, likewise for this is the law and the prophets." Sometimes there is a difficulty among workingmen themselves, arising from jealous or imperfect views of one another. Each class is apt to imagine that all the difficulties are in other departments than in its own particular trade or calling, and to be careless about the disadvantages of others. Sometimes it was grievously felt that those who, in what was called the lucky turn of Fortune's wheel, were brought to the surface and became in their turn employers of labor, were not always the most considerate towards their former fellow-workmen; and even with those who remained in the honorable ranks of industry, and are themselves employers of labor—for all of us have to be served in time and turn, are they always as considerate as they might be of the interests of those who toil upon them in shop or store? And as to the time and privileges of workers in other departments? An example—one worthy of being followed, and so much needed by all—"Happy is he who condemneth not himself in that thing which he alloweth." Sometimes, too, there was there a lack of sympathy with laborers who were their co-workers without being recognized as such—the toiler with the brain is as much of a laborer as the man of horny hand, and often less remunerated and more severely taxed by the nature and length of his labors without the enjoyment of those natural compensations which come with moderate, healthful, physical exercise. The more fatigued the brain worker is, the less he is able to rest, whereas "the sleep of the laboring man is sweet, whether he eat little or much." Besides, the customs of society in regard to those who are not actively engaged in manual labor exact what is called respectability of living, of dress, and of circumstances which are not only inconvenient and expensive at all times, but severely so when misfortunes come, as they do to all. So much has this been felt in old England—say in the years '82 and '83—during the commercial crisis when thousands and tens of thousands of clerks and commercial assistants were unemployed for long periods without feeling free to apply for a share of the aids that were more readily granted to needy manual laborers. This time of depression moved the hearts of some of the wealthiest class in the old land, including our beloved Sovereign. There are silent secret sorrows because of circumstances that are harder to bear and harder to relieve than the trials that are seen in the daylight. As ministers we are able to, and glad to respond to such a claim as the one made by the Trades Assembly, for our mission under our Master is to be the friends of mankind—not of any one class, but of man to man—and this fact has been recognized in the very request that has been made. All pastors know the faith of the workingmen in the claims that are made on them for sympathy and visitation and help in the dark hours of domestic sorrow. At such time we not only gladly fulfill the obligation which the Supreme Lord has imposed, but we obtain a deeper insight into the true nobility of human nature as seen in the day of tribulation. "One touch of nature makes the world akin." From our knowledge of and interest in mankind, we are truly hopeful for the future; we dare say "the former times were better than these," and above all we cannot permit that unfair judgment be passed upon artisans because of some painfully conspicuous, yet exceptional, cases of indolent and intemperate members of the useful class. As we began so would we end, for application is easy and natural in the light of God's word. If all would bravely bear and do their part, and all would try to breathe the spirit of the Lord of all, then surely the golden days that are yet to come would hasten onward. We have no hard and fast rules of reform for amelioration, for human nature is not like a mere machine; it cannot be and ought not to be driven by force. Mistakes with the wisest may be expected and borne with charitably, if the intention is honest. As a poet of the people says:

"I love all places to help the poor;
Each cannot be the best,
Yet each may be to some one more
Than all the others blest."

CANADIAN NEWS.

Items of Interest Received by Telegraph from Different Points.

About 2:40 Tuesday morning fire broke out in the Balmoral hotel, Montreal, where 150 guests were housed. All the guests safely escaped. The loss by fire and water amounts to $30,000. S. Myers, jeweller, and C. G. Glass, clothing, had stocks damaged by fire.

Wheat harvesting was commenced at Emerson, Man., on Tuesday. Crop reports indicate an enormous yield all over the province.

C. W. Milnstone has been appointed superintendent of the Moose Jaw division of the C. P. R.

Half the business portion of Minden, Ont., was wiped out by fire on Monday. The properties burned are: The Carlwell hotel; Carle's store; Brown, boots and shoes; Palmer's saddlery; Gainer, butcher shop; Noyes, general store; Delmer's printing office; McCracken's hotel, and Mrs. Dickenson's buildings. The loss is $27,000; insurance $12,000.

Bears continue to be plentiful in all the country parishes of Quebec and have lately been committing numerous depredations in the cattle fields in the vicinity of Lavalo.

Premier Mercier is credited with entertaining thoughts of a scheme which will render the county of Gaspe safe to the liberal party—safe for all time to come, viz: by buying out the seignorial rights in Magdalen Islands granted by King George to Admiral Isaac Coffin.

At Roseburn, Man., on Friday, Duncanson, a wealthy Scotch farmer, and a mason named Patterson, were suffocated by gas at the bottom of an old well. Both men were taken out dead.

The Springhill, N.S., miners have been on a strike six weeks, and there is much destitution among them.

A telegram to W. F. Costigan, of Montreal, from Ben Young, the salmon king of Landner's Landing, B.C., states that the Fraser river pack is almost a failure, and it is doubtful if the buyers will secure the fish already bought.

A cyclone in the vicinity of Mill Grove village, Ont., carried Nelsons Rickman's barn one hundred yards, dropping it a wreck on Hiram Anderson's farm. A large beech tree on Wm. Gilmore's farm was uprooted, carried a long distance and left on Eaton's farm. Crops were badly damaged.

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Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned between this date and Friday, the 15th day of August next, at 4 p.m., for supplying and placing in position in the City Hall Tower, in good running order,

A TOWN CLOCK,

Tenderers to furnish full descriptions of clocks submitted, with catalogue of prices thereof attached.

The Council reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

By order of the Hall Committee.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, June 5th, 1890. jel

MUNICIPAL.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section 5 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or over navigable waters," that the municipal council of the city of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, has deposited with the Minister of Public Works of Canada, a plan and a description of a wharf or dock, to be used for ordinary purposes, situated in front of lots 1 and 2, in the said city, and a duplicate of such with the Registrar of Deeds for the said city of Victoria.

And notice is also hereby given, that applications, after the first day of August, 1890, to the Governor-in-Council for approval of said plan and work.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 21st day of June, 1890. jel1

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the undersigned until Wednesday, the 5th day of August next, at 4 p.m., for the construction of a brick culvert, [illegible] street.

Specifications can be seen at the City Surveyors office.

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By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, July 29, 1890. jl29 3d

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LEGAL NOTICES.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

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A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above mentioned lands will be issued by the undersigned Registrar on the 9th day of August, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEIGHTON,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 7th May, 1890. m15 3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 19 and 20 of Suburban Lot VI Victoria City.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the expiration of one month from the date hereof I shall issue a duplicate of the above property in the name of Joseph Hankins as owner in fee simple, in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated the 26th June, 1890 unless in the meantime cause be shown to the contrary.

C. J. LEIGHTON,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 25th July 1890. jl29 1m

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A BY-LAW.

Fixing Special Rate to be Levied in Respect of the "By-Law Authorizing the Construction of the Waterworks for the City of Victoria, B. C., 1874."

WHEREAS BY THE CORPORATION OF Victoria Waterworks Act, 1873, it is provided that the said Act should not have any force or effect until the Municipal Council of the said City of Victoria should pass a By-Law authorizing the construction of the said waterworks, which By-Law they were thereby empowered to pass.

And whereas on the 29th day of March, 1873, the said Council passed a By-Law authorizing the construction of waterworks for the City of Victoria, B. C., 1873, whereby it was enacted that for the purpose of constructing the said Waterworks and other the purposes in the said Act mentioned or referred to it should be lawful for the Corporation of the City of Victoria to issue debentures of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria to be called "Waterworks Debentures" for a sum of money not exceeding $100,000.

And whereas for the purpose of providing a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest on same it was enacted by said By-Law that the said Council should for the purpose aforesaid raise annually such a sum as might be necessary to pay the interest upon and provide a sinking fund to meet the whole of the hereinbefore recited debentures shall be 11-1000 of one per cent., which said rate shall be annually levied, imposed and collected on all real estate and improvements thereon within the corporate limits of the City of Victoria.

This By-Law may be cited as "The By-Law fixing a Rate under the By-Law Authorizing the Construction of Waterworks, 1873."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July, A.D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy 28

A BY-LAW.

Fixing the Rate to be Levied in Respect of the $90,000 Waterworks Loan, 1875.

WHEREAS FOR THE PURPOSE OF providing a sinking fund for the payment of the debentures issued in respect of the $90,000 Waterworks Loan 1875, and the interest thereon it has been found expedient to fix a specific rate.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate to be levied and imposed for the purpose of raising annually a sum necessary to pay the interest upon and provide a sinking fund to meet the whole of the hereinbefore recited debentures shall be 63-1000 of 1 per cent. which said rate shall be annually levied and imposed and collected on all real estate and improvements thereon within the limits of the City of Victoria.

This By-Law may be cited as the By-Law fixing a rate to be levied in respect of the $90,000 Water Works loan, 1875.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C.M.C. jy-31.

A BY-LAW.

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Fire Department By-Law 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Fire Department By-Law 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows.

From and after the final passage of this By-Law, the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 11-1000 of one per cent. and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 11-1000 in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by Fire Department By-Law 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July A.D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C.M.C. jy-31

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by The Water Works Debenture and Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1877.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria, it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by The Water Works Debenture and Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1877.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 13-1000 of one per cent. and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 13-1000 in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the special rate imposed by the Water Works Debenture and Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1877.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
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Reducing Special Rate Imposed by The Water Works Loan By-Law, 1888.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by The Water Works Loan By-Law, 1888.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 13-1000ths of one per cent., and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 13-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the special rate imposed by the Water Works Loan By-Law, 1888.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Water Works Loan By-Law, 1886.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria, it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by The Water Works Loan By-Law, 1886.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 15-1000ths of one per cent., and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 15-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the special rate imposed by the Water Works Loan By-Law, 1886.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1890.

JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the $45,000 Loan By-Law 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Forty-five thousand dollar loan By-Law 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 20-1000ths of one per cent., and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 20-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the special rate imposed by the Forty-five thousand dollar Loan By-Law 1889.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the $70,000 Water Works Loan By-Law 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria, it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the $70,000 Water Works Loan By-Law 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 15-1000ths of one per cent., and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 15-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the $70,000 Water Works Loan By-Law 1889.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

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(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by The Drainage By-Law, 1885.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria, it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by The Drainage By-Law, 1885.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 6-1000ths of one per cent., and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 6-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the special rate imposed by the Drainage By-Law, 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1890.

JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Street and Bridge Loan By-Law 1886.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Street and Bridge Loan By-Law 1886.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 11-1000ths of one per cent. and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 11-1000 in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by Street and Bridge Loan By-Law 1886.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW.

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the $70,000 Waterworks Loan By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the $70,000 Waterworks Loan By-Law 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 15-1000ths of one per cent. and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 15-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the $70,000 Waterworks Loan By-Law 1889.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Pleasure Grounds Loan By-Law 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by The Pleasure Grounds Loan By-Law 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 13-1000ths of one per cent. and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 13-1000 in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the Pleasure Grounds Loan By-Law 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July A.D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C.M.C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate imposed by the By-Law to authorize the raising of Twenty Thousand Dollars, 1878.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the By-Law to authorize the raising of Twenty Thousand Dollars, 1878.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 24-1000ths of one per cent. and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 24-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the special rate imposed by the By-Law to authorize the raising of Twenty Thousand Dollars, 1878.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed in Council the 23rd day of July, 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Johnson Street Sewer By-Law 1888.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Johnson Street Sewer By-Law 1888.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 20-1000ths of one per cent. and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 20-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the Johnson Street Sewer By-Law 1888.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. jy24

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Public Lighting By-Law 1885.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Public Lighting By-Law 1885.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be reduced to 10-1000ths of one per cent. and there shall be levied and collected in respect of said By-Law the said rate of 10-1000ths in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the Public Lighting By-Law 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of July, A. D. 1890.

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(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
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POPULATION AND AREA.

A Montreal paper publishes the following statistics, which were supplied by a real estate agent. The City of Cleveland comprises 17,088 acres, with a population of 268,696, or some 20 to the acre; Buffalo, 20,030 acres, population 250,000, or about 10 to the acre; Philadelphia, 81,280 acres, population 1,000,000, or 12 to the acre; Detroit, 12,640 acres, population 230,000, or about 10 to the acre; Chicago, 110,240 acres, population 1,100,000, or about 10 to the acre; Minneapolis, 33,280 acres, population 210,000, or about 7 to the acre; St. Paul, 43,000 acres, population 212,000, or about 5 to the acre; Baltimore, 20,500 acres, population 460,000, or about 19 to the acre; St. Louis, 100,320 acres, population 450,050, or about 5 to the acre; Toronto, 12,000 acres, population 230,000, or about 20 to the acre; Montreal, 3,949½ acres (including the mountain and other parks), population 277,000, or about 40 to the acre. The figures of the American cities are from the respective city comptrollers or from their reports of 1888 and 1889. By way of comparison we add Victoria, which has an area of 1993 acres, population 20,000, or 11 to the acre.

THE NAVIES COMPARED.

Lord BEASRSY's "Naval Annual" is an authority on all matters affecting the British and European navies. The navies of the great powers are at present in a transition stage, all of them receiving most important additions, which will require for their completion about three years. Supposing all the proposed additions completed, the strength of the great navies of Europe will then be, according to the "Annual": Great Britain will possess 76 ironclads (including 26 coast defence vessels); 30 protected ships; 206 unprotected ships; and 130 torpedo boats. Germany will then have 49 ironclads (including 14 of moderate size for coast defence); 19 protected ships; 52 unprotected ships; and 150 torpedo boats. France will have 48 ironclads (including 16 coast defence vessels); 14 protected ships; 136 unprotected ships; and 130 torpedo boats. Italy will possess 19 ironclads (including 6 coast defence vessels); 15 protected ships; 58 unprotected ships; and 183 torpedo boats. And Russia will have 27 ironclads (including 14 for coast defence); 8 protected ships; 69 unprotected ships; and 125 torpedo boats. The figures demonstrate the supremacy of the British navy, and it is very gratifying to know that its supremacy rests not merely in the greater number but in the superiority of the ships and of their equipment.

BUENOS AYRES REBELLION.

The republic of Buenos Ayres, about which so much has been heard lately in connection with a rebellion which has been crushed, has had a varied [illegible] in its history. Capt. J. G. Cox of this city was a resident for a number of years of that South American state, and during that time the country was often in a state of turmoil, the hot Castillian blood of the natives rising to the boiling point on the slightest provocation, and sometimes without any provocation at all. One of the local wars during the Captain's residence there lasted for a considerable time, and it looked for months as though the rebellious party would get the upper hand, but, as has just now been the case, they got the worst of it.

It would appear that these South and Central American republics are constituted like the Geysers, and at regular intervals throw out the noxious accretions which disturb the harmony of the body politic. A revolution is expected—it is the normal condition of the Latin races in America. No one thinks it worth while to go to the bottom of the disturbance and ascertain who is right and who is wrong, for it can be safely predicted at the outset that both sides are wrong and neither is right. The fact is neither Central or South America is ready for democratic self-government, and it will be many years before the volatile Spaniard or the mercurial Italian, who constitutes the great mass of the population, will learn to govern themselves like the Anglo-Saxons of the United States and Canada. But are these revolutions and civil wars—in Buenos Ayres and between San Salvador and Guatemala—not a curious outcome of, or sequel to, Mr. BLAINE's Pan-American congress.

THE SILVER BILL.

The United States Silver Bill, which goes into effect next month, requires the United States Treasury to purchase 4,500,000 ounces of silver every month to be coined, and for which certificates will be issued as legal tender for all public and private obligations. The bill is an experiment, and the financiers and politico-economists, who ought to know if any person does, are unable to agree upon the probable effect or result of the measure. But the press outside of the partisan organs in the United States, seem to think that the bill is "an experiment fraught with the gravest consequences." It is opposed to the English ideas of sound financiering. The difference, remarks one contemporary, between the actual value of the English gold standard and the silver standard is an economical fact which no legislation can alter or overcome. The production of silver from mines practically inexhaustible must fix its value in spite of governments. It is, however, quite probable that the purpose of those who desire to see money cheap and plentiful will be for a time gratified. Not only will American mines run out shining bars under the stimulus of the bill, but Germany will enter the market with her 450,000,000 silver marks to sell. So will the Dutch with their 35,000,000 florins, and every other country in Europe will follow suit. With the exception of relieving these countries of pauper, criminal and revolutionary subjects, the United States have conferred no greater benefit on them than the passage of the Silver Bill. In principle, however, it is precisely the same as the attempt of JAMES II to debase the coinage of England, an act which contributed largely to his dethronement. Its motive is not different from that which actuated FREDERICK the Great when he issued clipped coin. In fact, as has been well said, every tyrant in greed or trouble has resorted to schemes of giving fictitious value to debased currency. Every bankrupt or distressed Government has done the same. But the stupid experiment has always failed and the people have had to pay for it. Were an individual to do as the Silver Bill contemplates, he would be amenable to the criminal law. "Clipping" or "sweating" coin is a felony. What is the difference between that and a Government making a dollar, the actual value of which is below three-tenths of its face, legal tender for the payment of as much debt as before it was debased? All history and political economy is agreed in condemnation of such an expedient. It stands without excuse or palliation and will bring the same retribution on America that like follies brought upon Europe.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Methodists in the British navy have asked for the appointment of chaplains of their own faith. Of late years a large proportion of the new recruits for the navy have been Methodists.

The statistical year book of Canada for 1889 has just been issued by the Department of Agriculture. It gives the Dominion population for the year ending 1889 as 5,075,855 compared with 4,845,809 in 1881, when the last census was taken.

The little Province of New Brunswick, which, as compared with British Columbia is not a mineral country at all, last month took out 2550 ounces of gold, valued at $48,500 from 2610 tons of rock. When will our mine-owners get to work and do something.

An electrician of New York city, who has made a specialty of spectacular electricity, says the day is not far off when electrical fireworks will supersede those now used. He declares that for a comparatively moderate outlay he could arrange an electrical display for the city which would last for many years, and could be repeated as often as desired. It would comprise rockets, Roman candles, wheels, Niagara falls, and all the modern pyrotechnic effects.

An incident which goes to show the difference in cost between animal and electric traction is reported from a town in Lancashire, England. A breakdown occurred in the insulation of an electric line, and horses had to be resorted to temporarily to draw the cars. During the month when the horses were employed the average cost per week was equal to $365, but during similar periods of time previous to the hitch and since the electrical working has not exceeded $[illegible].

Hammerfest, the most northern town of Europe, and with the exception of one or two hamlets in Greenland and a few in Siberia, the most northern place in the world, has been burned down. It is a large town for its latitude, having some two thousand five hundred people, and is important commercially, the harbor being constantly full of steamships and sailing vessels. There are no forests and no farms near it, and no road leads out of it. It lives on fish in summer and reindeer in winter, but having all its communications by sea, enjoys abundance of the good things of other lands. It is the last place warmed by the gulf stream, and enjoys a concentrated share of its attractions. Tromsoe, which next below, is the next town of any importance, is a hundred and forty miles away on the Tromsoe Fiord and supplies Hammerfest with kindling wood, beef and mutton.

Toronto Globe proposes a sensible compromise as follows: General N. A. Miles told a committee of the American Senate that British Columbia could be occupied by American troops in ten days, but in those ten days a British fleet could destroy every town and city on Puget Sound. As a fair compromise, we beg to suggest that the American troops do not occupy British Columbia, and that the British fleet refrain from destroying the towns and cities on Puget Sound. This would save both parties a great deal of trouble and expense.

The morning paper says work will be pushed forward with haste on the Westminster-Vancouver tramway, beginning next week. Four or five months ago the same journal was advocating a Government bonus or guarantee, to the company, and argued that without some such assistance the line could not be built. It is curious how these companies can get along when left to their own resources. The stern logic of events must have demonstrated to the editor of the Colonist that he was stupidly wrong when he advised Government aid to enterprises which have since shown that they did not require it.

The Dominion Government steamer Newfield has just returned from a visit to Sable Island. Capt. GUILDFORD was greatly surprised on reaching the island to find such a remarkable change in its form since his last visit. The western end is rapidly washing away, and the bar is making its way to the north. The captain is of the opinion that a survey of the island should be made at once, as it would greatly assist vessels sailing in that direction. Few mariners are aware of the remarkable change that the bar has been undergoing in a very short time. Since 1880 three lighthouses have been erected on the island, two of which have been washed away by the sea, which is now eating its way into the sand which surrounds the third. It is not a very long time since the island was forty miles long, while now it is only twenty miles long.

Mr. A. H. MORRISON, one of the teachers in the Brantford Collegiate Institute, has been charged with infidel teaching. The principal evidence against him is thus stated by one of his opponents: "The class had been studying the Apology of Socrates. To console his weeping friends he discourses very beautifully, proving to them that death is not the last and worst evil. Mr. M. then asked his class what they thought on this question. A boy brought up in a Christian home stated that the future decided it. Mr. M. replied: 'I do not want an answer of that kind.' With regard to future rewards and punishments nothing can be proven. Eternal punishment is a libel on the name of God. After death the condition of men would probably be no worse than in this world, perhaps a little better.'" The School settled the matter by getting a pledge from Mr. MORRISON to leave these delicate questions alone. The incident is instructive as showing how indistinct is the boundary that separates religious from secular teaching.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

While one of VANCOUVER's most prominent lacrosse men was trying to save a favorite pup to swim, he fell in himself, and got most exceedingly damp before he was pulled out.

POINTS FOR A WHEEL.

The selection of a bicycle is not a difficult thing when you know the same, says an exchange. Here are a few pointers: The weight of your wheel (and the weight of your wheel is the measurement of its strength) as a rule should be governed by the weight of the rider. If you are a heavy man, that is, weighing from 170 to 190 pounds, you should not touch anything under a forty to fifty-two pound wheel, and it must not be geared any higher than fifty-four inches. A rider weighing about 160 pounds may choose a wheel weighing from thirty-eight to forty-two pounds, and if he has a good deal of leg power he may have the wheel geared to fifty-seven inches, but not above that. Heavy men are liable to ride very much over rough country roads he also had better stick to the heavier wheel. A rider of 155 pounds may select a wheel weighing from thirty to forty-two pounds, geared from fifty-four to fifty-seven inches. A thirty-pound wheel should only be used on the better kind of roads, otherwise it will come to grief. In purchasing a wheel be sure that it has a heavy rubber tire or that it is fitted with anti-vibration springs, for it is the generally accepted view nowadays that a large proportion of the fatigue of riding is due to vibration.

INVINCIBLE M'LEOD.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—Evan Lewis, the strangler, failed to throw D. McLeod, the champion Canadian, in fifteen minutes last night and forfeited twenty-five dollars to him.

Mr. Jesse Johnson,

of Rockwood, Ont., writes:—"Last fall I had bells very bad and a friend advised Burdock Blood Bitters. I got a bottle and the effect was wonderful, half the bottle totally cured me. A more rapid and effectual cure does not exist.

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WE GIVE IT UP.

TO THE EDITOR.—Why is it that it takes the express companies now double and more time to bring mail from Utah and Colorado than it takes the post? The last experience is five days ago I receive notice by mail—"To-day, 19th, sent by express," etc., but as yet I am waiting for the express. This it is and has been for the last three months. I have always experienced here the fact that from all points of the Dominion and United States the mail service is faster and more prompt than the express, although, both may start on the same date. W. H.

Vancouver, July 27th.

VICTORIA SEWERAGE COMPETITION.

TO THE EDITOR.—In your issue of Monday evening you give a partial list of competitors for the above, omitting to mention K. M. H. and also the fact that the designs bearing these initials were placed first of the three selected by the Sanitary committee, and also of three selected by Mr. Hering, though in his final report he places them second, vide your last week's daily issue. The report of the expert is an extraordinary document. With your permission we will examine it and see whether it is a creditable production from an engineer of his record, being ably assisted as he was by Mr. Leach, C. E., and Mr. Summerfield, C. E., whose information we know would be authentic. I have examined the drawings of No. 2, also his report and specifications, the latter of which still contains the author's name and address, Mr. Hering has there, known who he was through his entire examination. Let us take a few points seriatim, as suggested by the expert's report:

1. The recommended plan does not conform to the published conditions as I read them. For First street, Second street, Third street, Fourth street, and part of Hillside avenue, the northern end of Cook street, all streets east of Chambers and Cook streets, are omitted from the scheme, although within the city limits. The printed conditions did not invite a scheme for draining a portion of the city, and they do not even provide for draining your new and handsome school building. I therefore assert they are not eligible to compete for the prize.

2nd. Mr. Hering complains of the K. M. H. system because a few houses could be drained into the harbor and a few into the Straits. No. 2, however, he recommends, which have three pumping stations one on John street, one on Government and Pembroke, and one on St. Lawerence and Michigan, the effluvium from which, working continually which would be a splendid sewer-gay and advertisement for the heart of your city. What say you, taxpayers, would you permit this?

3rd. The recommended plan Mr. Hering condemns as the slopes are one in two thousand and one in twenty-five hundred, these being insufficient to carry off sewerage, even while being flushed. This design, if accepted by the city, must be remodeled entirely, for so great an alteration cannot be made without reconstructing the entire scheme. Mr. Hering has altered the section on Drawing No. 2 in the recommended scheme in black ink, increasing the fall from one in twenty-five hundred to one in twelve hundred and twenty, though he leaves the fall of one in twenty-five hundred on the Dallas road unaltered.

4th. K. M. H. provides a minimum fall of one in one thousand one hundred and eleven, and throughout their centre scheme have provided for the greatest possible velocity. Mr. Hering complains that K. M. H. design will be flooded with back water to the extent of nine hundred feet; but this is an impossibility, for the outfall itself has no connection with the sea water directly, being made to empty into a receiver which contains all sewage until the ebbing of the tide, when the automatic flush-gates open and discharge their contents at the highest point of the tides, and at no other time. By way of parenthesis I may say, that this receiver, if constructed, could be utilized to rid the city of its garbage.

Now, sir, I think that if the taxpayers will carefully read Mr. Hering's report and the above notes thereon, they will come to the conclusion that the demands of justice have scarcely been complied with; and as to the reliability of this report I would draw your attention to one of the contradictions contained therein. He (the expert) says "Plan K. M. H. gives 10 inches as the minimum size of the smaller street drain. Plan No. 2 gives nine inches, and plan No. 2, 8 inches, the latter having been found quite suitable in many cities of the United States." Further on, under the head of "Concluding remarks" he says, as regards No. 4, "I consider the size of the sewers too small to give full satisfaction to a city such as Victoria is destined to become at a distant date," thus condemning No. 8 for inserting 8-inch pipes, as being too small, while he recommends No. 2 which only have 8-inch pipe. A communication will be presented this evening to the Mayor and Aldermen which, if it does not succeed in giving the honors to those whom some people may think deserve it, it will at least draw the attention of the taxpayers at whose cost the works must be eventually executed and will not therefore be in vain. Yours faithfully,

K. M. H., by JNO. KEEN, C. E.
Sanitary Eng.

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I like them because they like children, dogs and horses.

I like them because they can row a boat, ride a horse and drive a four-in-hand well, or else not at all.

I like them because they are big and strong-looking—I prefer a brute to an effeminate man.

WHAT IS HYPNOTISM?

A Term Now on the Lips of Everyone—Dangerous Thing to Meddle With.

This term, now on the lips of everyone, is taken from the French word hypnotis, which means sleep, and hypnotism is a sleep not real, but artificial, during which the subject is influenced by the thought or suggestion of other—a state secured by the person that is to be hypnotized fixing his mind and thoughts on one thing. The current idea that a person to be a successful hypnotizer must have a certain magnetic power is erroneous, as his success depends more on the subject than anything else. The hypnotic trance may be of all grades, from a slight drowsiness from which the subject easily awakens, to a state of Somnambulism, when he is a docile automaton in the hands of the operator. In the lighter hallucinations cannot be evoked, in the deeper they can easily. In the lighter stages, after waking, the subject recollects everything that has happened. In the deeper there is an absolute loss of memory of everything done or said during the trance. Then again it is generally believed that if

INFLUENCED BY HYPNOTIC POWER

it is a sign of a weak mind. This is far from true, as it is stated on the best of authority that it is impossible to hypnotize a lunatic, and almost impossible to subject a fool to its influence. A physician who has made hypnotism a study and a matter for investigation related the following experiments: "I have performed hypnotic experiments which you would scarcely believe. I have made men do as I willed. For instance, only a few days ago I hypnotized a man about six feet high, and weighing fully three hundred pounds, and after I had him completely under control, I placed a pillow in his arms, suggesting to him that it was a baby; he rocked it, sang to it, and finally, when I said it was a noisy little brat, and he ought to throw it out of window, he crossed the room and was just in the act of throwing out the pillow when I again suggesting that it was a handsome child, and that it would be a shame to kill it, his brain assimilated this idea and he left the window. When I awoke him he knew nothing of the matter." This shows how completely the subject is in the power of the operator. Another physician, a specialist in nervous diseases, stated that he occasionally used hypnotism in his practice. "Not, however, with any great success," he admitted, "as in order to

ACCOMPLISH ANY RESULT

I am obliged to throw my patients into a deep sleep. I remember once a patient came into my office suffering from neuralgia. I managed to hypnotize her, and then said: "Where do you feel the pain?" 'In the left cheek,' she said. I then began to impress her with the fact that the pain had gone. 'You have no pain now, it's all gone.' 'Yes, it's gone,' she said, and when I brought her to, her neuralgic pain had left her. The power is somewhat similar to mind cure, but it is far more defined and we use it only on slight aches. The doctor told us many other interesting experiments and gave illustrations, but said, when questioned, that he was not an enthusiast, and considered there was much to be said against hypnotism as a curative agent. But this strange art, or science, is not a fad; it is a question of a most momentous kind. Though it has not been thoroughly understood in this country it in France it has been forbidden as a great public danger. One of the greatest dangers of this occult power is the opportunity and liability of crime being performed by persons in a hypnotized state, to some suggestion of an evil-minded person. Forgery can be committed by this means, and the person thus forging a signature would know nothing about it. On the other hand, hypnotism is a harmless remedy for minor aches and pains, and has been used with such excellent results that it cannot be ignored. It is a power, as seen and undefinable, the scientific application of which is attracting the attention of the whole civilized world.

Actor Sothern's Rebuke.

An old lady, laden with bundles, stood in the aisle, weary and almost ill with fatigue. Close by her sat a big brute, spread out comfortably and complacently over the space that two people could easily occupy and refusing to budge an inch when the lady mildly looked with longing eyes upon the seat. Everybody glared at him, but he took no notice of that; there were muttered words of disapproval, but he paid no attention to those. At last Mr. Sothern, with one of those Lord Chumley stares, so full of innocence and simple good nature, leaned over [illegible] which he bore, and in a very audible stage whisper inquired: "Excuse me, sweet, but would you kindly t-t-tell me what k-k-ind of nerve tonic you use?" Even the roar of laughter which followed in the car did not bring a wrinkle to the mildly beaming face of Lord Chumley, but it did make the old hog leave his seat and the car.—Exchange.

Tolling a Bell for a Dead Dog.

The citizens of Woodruff, B. C., were startled by the tolling of the Baptist church bell, and upon inquiry could not learn the cause of it. Various rumors were set afoot as to why it should ring, but no one could give a satisfactory reason. After hesitating a good while some one, with more nerve than the others, entered the belfry and found a young white boy, named James Dewin, tolling away as solemnly as the sexton would for a funeral. He was asked why he was doing so, and his reply was: "That his father's dog had just died, and he had instructed him to go and toll the bell to announce the sad news to the citizens of the town."—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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LOT.	BLOCK.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.	COSTS.	TOTAL.
19A	12	$376 80	$263 44	$640 24
E. two thirds 24	3	67 20	7 40	74 60
One-half 25	3	89 10	9 80	98 90
W. one-half 26	3	122 80	13 50	136 30
33	3	51 00	5 61	56 61
Part 87	26	70 38	7 73	78 11
145	V	124 08	13 64	137 72
372	4	117 20	12 89	130 09
Part sub. 4 of 618, 619	M	31 00	3 41	34 41
Part sub 8 of 602, 603	M	33 44	3 68	37 12
East one half 878	J	37 20	4 10	41 40
940	42	48 00	5 34	53 34
991	9	75 00	8 25	83 25
992	9	36 60	4 03	40 63
993	9	32 20	3 44	35 64
997	17	33 50	3 90	39 40
1007	17	32 40	2 77	35 17
Sub. 13 of 1237	T	46 80	5 15	51 95
Sub. 8 of 1694	56	7 60	84	8 44
Sub 24 of 1694	56	10 50	1 15	11 65
Sub. 4 of 1772	61	27 50	3 03	30 53
WORK ESTATE.				
4	D	31 00	3 41	634 31
10	W	77 60	8 54	86 14
SPRING RIDGE.				
A	64	6 00	66	6 66
B	64	6 00	66	6 66
7	69 to 72	3 90	43	4 33
8	"	3 90	43	4 33
9	"	3 90	43	4 33
10	"	4 80	53	5 33
11	"	4 80	53	5 33
12	"	6 30	70	7 00
17	"	3 90	43	4 33
18	"	3 90	43	4 33
19	"	3 90	43	4 33
20	"	42 60	4 68	47 28
42	"	34 80	3 83	38 63
48	73	3 60	40	4 00
51	"	44 00	4 84	48 84
FINLAYSON ESTATE.				
1	B	23 00	2 28	25 28
2	B	25 00	2 77	27 97
5 ACRE LOTS.				
One half of Sec 21	11	19 00	2 05	21 05
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" 11	"	10 00	1 10	11 10
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RICHARD HILBERT.

Victoria, June 21. [illegible]

NOTICE.

Estate of John Charles Frederick Gerstmann, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Supreme Court of British Columbia has granted probate of the will of the deceased dated 16th day of May, 1888, to Mr. Frank Parry and Mr. George Reilly, the executors therein named.

All persons indebted to or having claims against the estate are to make payment or application for payment to the executors at the office of the undersigned.

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER

CANADA'S COMMISSIONER TO JAMAICA EXHIBITION.

Hunting for People to Trade With as in Distant Fields and Refusing to Deal With Those at Our Own Door—Middleton and Sir Adolphe.

From our own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 21.—Mr. Adam Brown, M. P., for Hamilton, of Pigeon Bill fame, has been appointed by the Dominion Government, a commissioner to the Jamaica exhibition which comes off in January next. Whatever may be said of the wisdom, otherwise of sending a commissioner on an errand of this sort, there can be but one opinion regarding the selection and that is that Mr. Brown can fill the bill better than any other one that could be sent. A man of excellent business parts, long connected with the commerce of the country and always taking an active part in anything that in his opinion, at any rate, could advance trade and encourage our industries, Mr. Brown is not only capable of doing the best for Canada that can be done but he will also use his indefatigable efforts in endeavoring to do so. In the meantime the genial member for Hamilton is putting himself in communication with the manufacturers of the Dominion and those interested in the furtherance of its trade with a view of arranging for suitable Canadian exhibits to be shown at the exhibition and the forwarding of which the government will defray the expense.

A STUPID POLICY.

This is all that can be said in favor of the appointment. As to the wisdom of the Government in pursuing a policy of this kind, that is of hunting up trade by special and honorary commissioners, it is as stupid as it is expensive. The more one looks at it the more fiercely and silly it becomes. It is worse than ridiculous, and still people approve of it. To imagine that the Government thought that any good could come by it would be to insult their intelligence.

AS FREE AS THE AIR.

There is but one way to obtain better trade for this or any other country and that is by knocking down the barriers that now surround us. Take away that Chinese wall of a tariff between ourselves and the sixty odd millions of people to the south of us and permit our commerce to pass to and fro as free as the air we breathe. Place the Government officials who are enforcing these unnatural laws among the wealth producing classes of the community, where they will be able to do something for the bread they eat and the clothes they wear. Do this and no commissioner will be needed for the purpose of soliciting trade with our neighbors. As to the policy of the Government chasing for people to do business with them on the European continent, the antipodes, the Indies and elsewhere, we have numerous instances to show that the whole thing is a gigantic farce. Take for instance Mr. Faloon, who resides in luxury and a palatial residence in Paris, partly at the expense of Canada as an emigration agent. Neither emigrants nor trade have been sent us by his agency. At best the official statistics show that he only sent us one settler in a whole year and rumor has it that that one returned. We had Simeon Jones, a relative of Sir Leonard Tilley, in the Argentine Republic some years ago, and what good did he do? None. Canada has spent thousands on such commissions, but beyond using a few needy followers of the administration not one particle of good was ever accomplished by these missions.

A FALLACIOUS IDEA.

How sensible people can be gulled into this hunting-up-trade process is more than any one, who has given the slightest attention to trade questions, can understand. Look at it from any standpoint one may, and it is nothing but extreme folly or sheer ignorance that could secure for such a policy any followers. We are told, for instance, that Canada is a young country, its manufactories are in their infancy, and the manufacturers themselves in their swaddling bands. To protect them it requires a tariff of from 35 to 50 per cent. Less than this would enable the Americans, of who we are taught to have an awful dread, to close up our manufacturing institutions, and bring ruin and decay to our people. In the same breath we are also informed that we are quite capable of meeting these same Americans in distant lands and competing with them in these markets, and all this in defiance of a prohibitive tariff. Both contentions can't be right, but you pay your money and you take your choice.

SIR ADOLPHE CARON.

The liberal and independent newspapers are keeping up a fusilade against the Minister of War, in connection with the administration of the affairs of his department. Indeed, it has been said that the militia men of the country are signing a petition to have Sir Adolphe removed from the ministry. This rumor, for such it is, is not likely correct. But, as Mr. Clarke Wallace, a prominent conservative, said, there is but one opinion among the militia men of the country in regard to the fitness of the minister for the position. Never being connected with any regiment himself, and having no special knowledge of the requirements of the forces, he has but few sympathisers among the officers and men. Tyrannical to a degree, when he has an opportunity to be so, he has never given any concession to the force except when extracted from him by compulsion. His dullsidness is detestable, and he has never been able to rise above the bigotry of his province to do justice to any of the other provinces. I have heretofore shown, beyond contradiction, that the money which the Minister of Militia ought to have expended in Victoria, British Columbia, was spent in Quebec in advancing his own popularity, if that were possible, and securing for himself a little additional political support. And so it will be in this case as it will be in others.

WILL HE HAVE TO GO?

The newspapers which scented that Sir Adolphe Caron will have to go because of the acts which are charged, if not proven, against him, are somewhat premature in their contention. The Minister of Militia may be guilty of extravagance, or he may be guilty, and in many other ways may be managing his own department, but for all that he is a favorite at Earnscliffe, and may be expected to remain in the cabinet until an appeal is made to the country. His chances of election are, however, small, and if defeated there is little likelihood that a constituency will be provided for him should the Government be again returned. In that case Sir Adolphe will have to wait patiently until such time as a vacancy occurs for Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec.

MIDDLETON'S CASE.

I understand that the late General Middleton is preparing some defense in answer to the charges of the Parliamentary committee, followed as they were by his resignation, but what that defense is no one yet can tell. At Toronto he gave an inkling that such was the case, when, he said, that the people of Canada might not have cause to think differently of him than the members of the Parliamentary committee who tried his case. At one time he intended staying in Canada, but now he has changed his mind and will reside in England. He may have already stated that he has an Imperial pension of over $3,000 per year.

FAST HORSES FOR VICTORIA.

Mr. D. B. Gordon, veterinary surgeon here, has just received information from Victoria of the safe arrival there of a car-load of excellent bred horses which he shipped to different parties in that city. The horses were in good condition when they arrived, and not one scratch on either of them. Those gentlemen who received them are loud in their praises of the way they were treated by Mr. Gordon, and the good horseflesh he secured for them. SLANTOWN.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—Mrs H V Pitcher and nurse, D Morrell, A Hebblen, E Warwick, J Dowling, John Tuller, S A Stevens, A Hughes, F Richter, Capt Patterson and wife, Miss McLellan, R Hesbert, J Higgins, G Tribes, C J Smith, H L Allen, A W Gordon, W Wilson, H Tucker, S Hess, E J Willow, Thos Flynn.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Mrs Tuller, Rev Driver, Gus Leiser, S Tuller, Mrs Stevens, A Hughes, F Richter, Capt Patterson and wife, Miss McLellan, R Hesbert, J Higgins, Mrs Cawley, W R Mackintosh, J Coughlin, H Demaine, G E Pallenger, H Bennett, J A Mara, L Hudson, G W Hickey, Mrs Kingswell, S Nye.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—Mrs Robinson, G O Farrar, E H Fraser, Miss Stine, J M Rippy and daughter, Mrs Boale, Miss Child and wife, E J McCabe, W F Reynolds and wife, H Sribek, W C Cochrane and wife, M F Post, Mrs Dr Baldwin, F Rush, L Bowie, A A Plummer, G H Plummer, G M Thomas, Mrs Townsend, J R Ackley and wife, J H Thomson, I V Handtree, Miss Spaulding, F H Kaufman, G Barkley, W K Nichols and wife, Mrs Cardiff, Jas Cussen, J Hirsh, D D Cronin, G C Shaw, Miss Post, E W Ward, C E Redson, Eli Foster, Miss Butler, A Magneson, G R Cogland, P T Truesdell, Miss Sullivan, F Jennings and wife, M Hunnell, A J North and wife, L H Parker, H J Miller and daughter, R Wilkin, Geo F Jones and mother, W J Boat and wife, H Wilson and wife, W E Thompson, J Gordon, Mrs Stine, Mrs Sullivan, Mrs Labelliere, F Smith, D Blanchard and wife, O Robinson, Miss Cullin, R Adair, C R Secord and wife, G Carter and wife, Miss Walbanc, Mrs Ashton, W Decker and wife, C Smith.

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A Dynamiter Drowned.

NEW YORK, July 28.—James Mooney, the dynamiter was drowned in the surf at Far Rockaway on Sunday. Mooney attained his greatest public notoriety a few years ago by attempting to blow up the British steamship Queen while she was at a wharf in North river. Mooney was sent to the lunatic asylum. He was recently released on certificates of physicians. Since then he has been engaged as a book canvasser. He was in newly circumstances and it is a question whether his death was with suicidal intent or accidental. Mooney was credited with being concerned in the Clerkenwell and other dynamite explosions which terrorized London some years ago. He was a man of fine education, and at one time was secretary of the Irish National Land League.

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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

A SEALER SEIZED.

The Seattle Schooner Geo. R. White in the Toils.

The sealing schooner Aurora, which arrived down last night from Behring Sea, reports that the American sealing schooner Geo. R. White, of Seattle, was seized in Ounalaska in the latter part of June for a violation of the United States law in reference to taking firearms into Alaskan waters. The particulars are meagre, but it is presumed she went into the port and was taken by the collector, on the charge mentioned.

It seems strange, however, that she should have been seized, as like all United States vessels clearing for northern waters she would have to give a bond at her port of clearance that none of the firearms would be landed in Alaska. Still, the White has been placed under restraint, and the chances are that her master omitted to take a copy of the bond along with him, as was the case with the Hattie Dyer, lately seized in the same way.

So far there are no news of British vessels having been molested, but a letter has been received from the captain of the Victoria schooner Ariel stating that the United States cutter Rush had overhauled her, and had left on board a copy of the celebrated proclamation signed by the President relative to the Behring sea seal hunting matter.

NUPTIAL KNOTS.

How it was Tied in New Brunswick—Local Events.

Coadjutor Bishop Kingston surprised everybody by quietly getting married at the cathedral in Frederickton, N. B., on Tuesday last, to Annette Beverley Robinson, the eldest daughter of the late Colonel Beverley Robinson and wife, the parents of the bride; the bride's sister and her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. R. Robinson. After the ceremony the wedding party drove direct to Colonel Robinson's residence at Douglas. When it was known that the wedding was going on, a number of people started for the church, but the cathedral doors were locked and the ceremony kept as quiet as possible. There will be no wedding tour, the groom not approving of wedding tours. The Bishop's new house, at the corner of King and St. John streets, has been put in readiness to receive the newly married couple.

At Vancouver on Monday morning, the marriage between Mr. Allen Macdonell, son of a prominent barrister of Bay City, Michigan, and Miss Carrie Whelan, daughter of Mr. John Whelan of the "Manor House" was performed by Rev. Father Fay, in the Roman Catholic church. In the afternoon they left on the steamer Premier accompanied by Miss Macdonell for Tacoma, from which place they will go to San Francisco and from there return to their home in Michigan.

The Wicked World.

The box plan for the performance on 4th and 5th of August is rapidly filling, and two thoroughly representative houses are a foregone conclusion. Considering the care and attention bestowed upon the rehearsals and mounting of this comedy, this is not to be wondered at.

No Fresh Clue.

Mr. S. T. Tingley, manager of the B. C. express company, says there was no further clue to the highway man up to the time he left Ashcroft, but the company still have hopes that he will be captured before long. The officers are still on the hunt but it is not unlikely that the robber has by this time crossed the border.

Edison Becomes a Miner.

Thomas A. Edison proposes to make a venture in gold mining. He has at times invented appliances for separating and handling the metal, which promise good results. It is announced that he has recently purchased 1000 acres of land in the wildest part of Moore county, South Carolina, and will prospect there for gold.

The Aurora Arrives.

The sealing schooner Aurora arrived from the north last evening with seal skins from two or three of the fleet. The Aurora had some difficulty in getting her Indian hunters to go into Behring Sea, and so returned to port. Mr. Wm. Munsie, of Carne & Munsie, returned by the Aurora. The schooner Mary Ellen had not arrived at the rendezvous when the Aurora left, but she had been spoken a few days before and was all right.

Kootenay Notes.

The president of the Revelstoke Smelting Co. and Dr. Campbell have just returned to Nelson from the Warm Springs. While there these gentlemen purchased from Jack Duncan and N. Yelnoweth the well-known Number One claim, paying $15,000 down, and due other bonding for a total of $30,000. These fortunate prospectors have gone to England happy as humans know how to be.

The survey for the Toad Mountain road is completed, and work is going forward rapidly on the first mile. Ward Creek has also been bridged, and the same is being done now for Cottonwood Smith Creek.

Major Reid is now clearing the land sold by Mr. Hoover for $7,500 to the C.P.R. Co., and Messrs. Davys & Telman are rapidly constructing their sawmill two miles above Nelson.

We now learn on good authority that the capitalists who recently visited the Warm Springs camp and decided to form a syndicate, had a rupture on their return to Spokane Falls. The [illegible] of the syndicate [illegible] affiliates, one by Mr. Brookell and the other by Mr. A. E. Davidson, and representatives of both have just arrived for the purpose of going to work on several of their properties. The claims of the Brookell syndicate are the Black Chief, Crescent and Eden, on which the first work is to be done, and the Coronation, Princeton and Butler.

Kootenay, July 24.

Japanese Rioters.

The Japanese rioters were up before Judge Bole in the Westminster County Criminal Court Monday morning, when they elected to be tried summary before His Honor instead of before a judge and jury. The cases, of which there are four in all, for assult, have been postponed until the 11th of August next at 11:30 o'clock.

Marriage Bennett.

A quiet home wedding occurred last night on Quadra street at the residence of the bride's parents. The interested parties were Mr. P. C. Macnee, of Picton, Ontario, who was wedded to Maggie, third daughter of Mr. A. H. Bennett. Only the relatives and a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. The happy couple left for the East this morning.

Living in Hope.

Such has been the case for a length of time with a large number of this community, daily looking for and enquiring after the arrival of our large stock on the way. To such, Hastie & Erskine have pleasure in announcing that another carload of elegant Bedroom Suits, Extension Tables, Bookcases, Sideboards, etc., have arrived, and that they will be sold CHEAP for CASH at 92 Government street.

I. O. G. T.

At a meeting of Perseverance Lodge No. 1, I. O. G. T., Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected: Bro. Robertson, C. T.; Sister Vautin, V. T.; Bro. McClure, sec.; Sister M. Robertson, financial secretary; Sister Innes, Treasurer; Bro. Cormick, chaplain; Bro. McKinnon, marshall; Sister Hall, guard; Bro. Skaife, sentinel. Installation takes place on Tuesday evening.

Generous Donation.

The Mayor and Council of Victoria have kindly furnished 12 tents for the use of the evicted Wellington miners, as the following letter clearly indicates:

Victoria, B. C., July 28th, 1890.

J. Huxtabl, Esq., Mayor Nanaimo.

Dear Sir—I have been instructed by the Mayor and City Council to forward to your address 12 tents which have been shipped by rail to-day, enclosed you will find shipping receipt for same.

Yours truly,
E. E. Marvin, & Co.

Believed to be Safe.

It has been rumored that the sealing schooner Lilly, formerly the Alfred Adams, of this port, had been lost, but it is not generally believed among sealing men that she is. Although she was not at the rendezvous when the Mischief was there that is no proof of loss, as head winds may have detained her. While the Mischief was returning she sighted a schooner supposed to be the Lilly, heading north. The schooner's masts were very close together and raked well aft, a peculiarity of the Lilly's sticks, and a feature which could hardly be mistaken, so it is safe to assume that she is all right.

Good Yields.

The reports from all parts of the district are the same, and all are favorable, says the Columbian. The hay crop is nearly harvested, and the yield per acre is rather over the average—from 3½ to four tons. By the end of the present week the crop will be safely housed if the weather holds fine. Great things are expected of the oat crop, particularly on the delta and prairie lands where the stalks, capped with fine, plump heads, stand nearly six feet high. The yield is expected to be considerably above the average. Wheat also promises well, as does rye and peas. Root crops are in magnificent condition, and the improvement in field produce generally during the past few weeks has been wonderful. Wheat and oats in some parts of the district are ripening fast, and harvesting will soon be inaugurated.

It Wasn't Time.

Just as the steamer North Pacific pulled out from Turner, Beeton & Co's. wharf this morning, a lady and gentleman came running down the dock, just too late. The gentleman, who was considerable lighter than his companion, succeeded in reaching the deck of the steamer, but when the lady jumped, "the steamer wasn't there" and the water opened widely, it is said, to swallow up the unfortunate lady. The deck hands who saw the accident quickly ran to the rescue and the steamer being stopped they soon had the lady on board, thoroughly drenched. The tide was very low at the time, consequently it was quite a distance from the wharf to the water and the fall might have resulted seriously, if not fatally. As it was no damage was done either the lady or the water by the unfortunate mishap.

The Esquimalt Addition.

Grading for the Esquimalt addition of the tramway reached the canteen yesterday, and to-day the men commenced laying rails between the latter place and the Half-way house. The roughest piece of work on the line has yet to be encountered between the Canteen and Esquimalt, but the company intends to get there at all hazards, and before long Esquimalt will be brought into close communication with this city, a fact that will be pleasant to the citizens of both places. Formerly a ride to Esquimalt was a luxury not to be obtained by all, and consequently a great many people who were able walked thither, while, very likely, a great many Victorians have never seen a warship in spite of the fact that they are so close. The street cars will do away with this, however, as the price charged by them will be small to everybody.

Again Remanded.

After two minor cases, one for being drunk and the other for driving over a bridge had been disposed of in the police court this morning, the case of P. LeClaire, charged with stealing $800 from W. McNeil, was called. A large number of witnesses were called, all of whom strengthened the case for the prosecution, but the prisoner, was again remanded until to-morrow. The individual who yesterday asked His Honor if he might not plead for the prisoner, [illegible] and took down notes, that it is hard to say what he intends to do with them. The crown of a plug hat served the "American attorney" or as he is known among his associates as judge, for a table and he was evidently as contented as if he was pleading a case.

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OUR SALE STILL CONTINUES. We are bound to clean out our summer stocks. Better lose our profit than carry them over. We have piles of BOYS' SUITS left. We are not selling as many as we expected. Probably on account of the difficulty in getting to our store.

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THE STRIKE.

Report of Conference—A Contemptible Practical Joke.

NANAIMO, July 29.—The Wellington company have requested the miners committee to meet them this morning to consider the situation. The committee have complied with the request.

We received the above last night from our special correspondent, but the following from the Free Press of Tuesday, throws a doubt upon the reported meeting: A card of the size of an ordinary postal card was posted at the Northfield mines last evening, calling a meeting at the Somerset House, at 10 o'clock this morning, it stating that the Dunsmuir's desired to settle the matter with the men. In consequence of this notice the miners living in this city who work at Northfield did not go out on their usual morning shift, as they desired to attend the meeting as they believed it was posted in good faith. Large numbers went out from this city in stages to attend the meeting, but on arriving at the place of the supposed meeting they were met by great numbers of the Wellington men, from whom they soon learned they had been hoaxed. They had then no alternative, but to return to their homes. Reports of this description have a tendency to increase the present bitter feeling between employer and employed, as bogus notices are generally put down to the "bosses." The strike or lock-out remains in about the same position.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

D. E. Brown, of the C.P.R., is in the city.

Wm. Wood, of Chilliwhack, returned home to-day.

Geo. C. Shaw returned last evening from the Sound.

J. A. Mara, M.P., and Col. Baker, M.P.P., are in the city.

E. H. Forester, general agent of the Northern Pacific at San Francisco, is in the city.

W. E. Nicholls, now of Tacoma, formerly of this city, is passing his honeymoon here.

Mrs. and Miss Cash of Seattle are in the city, and will go on to Japan by the next steamer.

F. W. Robbs and wife, and Miss Cowperthwaite of Yonkers, N.Y., are at the Driard, and will go north by the next Alaskan steamer.

Richard Nelson of Juneau is visiting friends in Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria. He will go north again in a couple of weeks.

Miss Holmes, the recently appointed organist of Grace Church, Winnipeg, left there on Monday for the coast on a pleasure trip. She will be in Victoria several weeks, and will return about the end of August.

Dr. W. Bell Robertson, who for some time has been acting for Dr. Tunstall Kamloops, has been appointed physician and surgeon to the C.P.R. at Donald, vice Dr. Richardson, who comes to Victoria to take a position on the Provincial Jubilee Hospital staff.

Dr. McIlwain of Riverside, Cal., and a former resident practitioner of Victoria, has arrived at Vancouver from Europe and the east. The doctor has recovered his health to a considerable extent, and continues to improve physically. He will remain in Victoria for a few days, and may possibly be induced to return and reside permanently with us.

The Cooking School.

Several pupils have already been enrolled for the cooking school, and the first class will be opened on Tuesday next. Miss McAdams has everything in readiness for a spirit picnic.

New Palace Saloon.

Mr. Ralph Borthwick, of the Palace saloon, has purchased from Sen. Fujii Lane, the owner, the property on Yates street on which the saloon stands, and also that on Government street occupied by the Bran Cigar Store, the building L shaped, with a frontage on Government street of nineteen feet and on Yates street of eighteen feet six inches. The price paid was $21,000. Fifteen years ago Sen. Fujilane paid only $6,000 for the land, which shows how the values of real estate rise in the centre of the city.

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The Driard Transfer Co., Northern Pacific office, Government street, connects with all trains and steamboats. Baggage checked to Puget Sound and all eastern points. jel2

Bees in the Other Side.

The man Winter, arrested the other day at Vancouver on a charge of forgery committed in the States, went over to Seattle this morning with an American detective who came here to receive him from the hands of Superintendent of Provincial Police Langley.

Sad Affliction.

The wife of Mr. Wilson, section boss of the E. & N. R. R., living at Chemainus, was suddenly struck with a fit of insanity last evening at her home says the Free Press. The husband is quite prostrated over the sad occurrence. The family consists of ten children who will in consequence feel the blow very keenly.

A Pheasant Case.

A resident of Gordon Head road, J. W. Perry by name, has been summoned by the Provincial police for being unlawfully in possession of two pheasants, a cock and a hen. The birds are said to have been shot by Perry, who will appear in the Provincial Police Court to-morrow to explain why he had the feathered bipeds.

Bargains for the Week

At Russell, McDonald & Co.'s, 134 Douglas street:

Youths Serge, Corduroy, or Tweed Pants, to order, $1.25.

Boys' Serge, Corduroy or Tweed Pants, to order, $2.25.

Men's Serge, Corduroy or Tweed Pants, to order, $3.00

Men's Superfine Tweed Pants $4.00 per pair.

Boys' Gingham Suits, $1.25.

Boys' Serge or Tweed Suits, $2.00.

Change of Business.

The well-known Yates street restaurant, run so many years by the Steitz Bros., has now passed into other hands, having been sold to Mr. C. C. Fox. Nineteen years ago the business was first established by Fritz and George Steitz, but in 1778, owing to ill health, the former retired, Mr. J. P. Pelletier taking his place. From its first establishment the proprietors aimed at excellence and achieved it, as its well-deserved popularity attests. The attention to business and courtesy of the firm received its reward, as the members are now able to retire to enjoy a competence. Mr. C. C. Fox, the new proprietor, will no doubt carry on the business in a manner which will entitle him to a fair share of the public patronage.

The Esplanade.

It is understood that Mr. A. B. Gray will apply for an injunction against the Albion Iron Works building on the foreshore at the foot of Menzies street. Mr. Gray contends that there is a contract between the council and the Government, whereby the former bound itself to claim the water front along James Bay for an esplanade in consideration of certain lots transferred to the city by the latter. There can be no doubt that the construction of wharves, boat houses, etc., along James Bay front will detract from the desirableness of the place for private residences, and a protest under the circumstances is not surprising. An application for an injunction will raise many intricate law points, as Dominion, Provincial, municipal and private rights will all be involved.

Didn't Get Killed.

Yesterday evening a large and persuasive crowd assembled on Yates street to see a man killed or hurt. The gathering was caused by the sight of a cantankerous horse, whose propensities to kick were visible in every delinated hair, and a determined looking horseman who's confident air showed him to be a master of horse though even not attached to the royal family. There was a certain possibility of the horse throwing the man and perhaps breaking the fellow's neck, and therefore as in duty bound, the crowd, as all well regulated crowds do, stopped to see the fun. The horse corvorted, and jumped and reared and danced and twisted himself into all sorts of shapes, and cut all sorts of capers before the man got from the saddle, and the crowd held its breath with expectancy for what seemed to be a certain but a sudden and violent fall on the part of the man, with a possible death sweep. At length the horseman by a quick spring reached the saddle, when all of a sudden—the horse ambled sedately up the street.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenberg at the Bank Exchange.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

A Pair of Jacks at the Victoria to-night.

Regular meeting of the board of aldermen to-night at the city hall.

Work will be commenced this week on the Westminster-Vancouver Electric Railway.

Prof. Dawbarn gives a most entertaining lecture at Harmony Hall to-morrow night.

The stonemasons of Westminster have struck for an advance of $1 per day and it was allowed.

Messrs. Coughlan and Milne have been granted permission to build a street railway at Westminster.

The Indian shot by Constable Allen, while trying to break jail, is progressing favorably, and will soon be all right.

The body of Brother Wulff, who was drowned some days ago in the Fraser, was picked up yesterday in a fisherman's net.

Seattle is filled with thieves from the Whitechapel district to Lake Union. Daylight robberies are becoming alarmingly frequent.

London Lancet strongly recommends "Montserrat" Lime-Fruit Juice as an absolutely pure and delicious hot weather drink.

Prof. Dawbarn's next lecture in Harmony Hall will be Thursday at 8 p.m. Subject, "Footprints of to-day." Admission free.

An agency of Bradstreet has been established at Seattle, which is to be the headquarters for the management of the business in British Columbia and Washington.

The government steamer Sir James Douglas leaves to-morrow for the north and all points on the coast with the Hon. P. O'Reilly, who will pay his annual visit to the Indian reservations.

A large and handsome beer wagon made by Mr. Mable for J. Leahy the brewer, was put in use for the first time to-day. It was made entirely in the Province, and is a model wagon in every respect.

The Brunette Sawmills, Westminster, had a preliminary cut on Monday. The machinery works well and business begins in earnest from the present. The machinery for the mill was supplied by the Albion Iron Works of this city.

Captain John Irving, Manager of the Vancouver Waterworks Company, has applied for an injunction to prevent the city from taking any further action toward purchasing the waterworks, alleging that the price offered is altogether inadequate.

Two car loads of China raw silk, valued at $400,000 passed through Ottawa on Monday en route to New York. The shipment, which came from Vancouver on steamship which came via the Canadian Pacific Railway and crossed the continent in six days.

Seattle's new chief of police, G. C. Munroe, has assumed the duties of his office, and ex-Chief Thornton will resume his old office of constable in Justice Rivers' court, the emoluments of which are far in excess of the salary of the office he has just vacated.

A Government street merchant found a large spider in his paper, and asked a friend what sort of an omen that was. "There is no omen about it," replied the friend. "The spider was merely looking over the columns of the paper to see what merchant was not advertising, so that it could spin its web across his store door and be free from disturbance."

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NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

The government steamer Sir James Douglas leaves for the West Coast to-morrow morning.

The tug Vancouver arrived from Westminster this morning with a big scow load of lumber for the V. L. & M. company.

The steamer Geo. W. Elder left the Esquimalt dock this afternoon and sailed from the outer wharf for the Sound, where she will pick up passengers and freight before going north.

A dispatch from Portland says that the entire crew of the Union Pacific steamer Cosmopolis, which plies between that city and Sound ports, have struck for higher wages. The steamer was advertised to sail yesterday morning. General Manager Smith has telegraphed Vice-President Holcomb to send marine engineers to take the place of the strikers.

The wreck of the bark Savona, which went ashore off Wilson's Point early last Wednesday morning, has been sold at Port Townsend at public auction. The bidding was not very lively, there being only three persons present apparently anxious to own what is left of the vessel. She was knocked down to R. W. Dalton for $1,410. It is said there is over $2,000 worth of copper in the vessel. Her other unimpaired apparel is worth about $2,500.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business at 34 Yates street, known as Steitz Bros., Restaurant and Bakery has this day been sold to Mr. C. C. Fox. It is requested that all bills owing the old firm will be promptly paid, and all outstanding accounts, to 30th July, will be paid on presentation by the undersigned. Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, we solicit a continuance of the same for our successor.

Victoria, 28th July, 1890. 1730

In continuing the above business, I respectfully solicit a continuation of the patronage bitherto extended to Messrs. Steitz Bros., and shall endeavor to merit the same by keeping the business up to its present excellent standard, and by careful attention to the wants of my customers.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 4 p. m., on Friday, August 1st for the erection of a car house for 20 cars, for the National Electric Tramway & Lighting Co., Limited.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The plans and specifications may be seen at my office, 76 Yates street.

T. S. SOMERATE, Architect.

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